Published to coincide with 50 years since ABBA’s formation in 1972
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After winning 1974’s Eurovision Song Contest with their song “Waterloo,” ABBA catapulted to fame, capturing hearts across the globe with their melodic and ever-so-catchy pop songs. Formed in Stockholm, in 1972 by Agnetha Fältskog, Björn Ulvaeus, Benny Andersson, and Anni-Frid “Frida” Lyngstad, ABBA became one of the most commercially successful acts in the history of popular music, topping the charts worldwide with classic hits such as “Dancing Queen,” “Gimme! Gimme! Gimme! (A Man after Midnight),” “SOS,” and “Knowing Me, Knowing You.”

After their split in 1982, it seemed the ABBA story was all but over. But the 1990s ushered in a new wave of ABBA appreciation, and their music found favour again in modern popular culture. A host of ABBA-themed entertainment followed, including stage musical Mamma Mia! (1999), two box-office hit movies Mamma Mia! The Movie (2008), and Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again (2018), and in 2013 the opening of ABBA The Museum, in Stockholm. In 2021, after a forty-year hiatus, the band released a new album Voyage, and announced an accompanying concert featuring their digital avatars, dubbed “ABBAtars.”

Now celebrating their fiftieth year, ABBA are one of the great tales of pop music. From their humble beginnings in post-war Sweden to global superstardom, ABBA at 50 charts the remarkable story of this Swedish quartet. Beautifully illustrated with essential images, this book examines the group’s enduring legacy and much-loved musical repertoire of perfectly crafted pop. A must for all ABBA fans.

THE AUTHOR

Carl Magnus Palm is regarded as the world’s leading ABBA historian. He has written or co-written eight ABBA books. Titles include, ABBA: The Complete Recordings, first published in 1994 (Century 22) and revised and expanded in 2017, it won the Association for Recorded Sound Collections Award for Best Popular Music Discography in 2018; and the critically acclaimed Bright Lights Dark Shadows: The Real Story of ABBA, (Omnibus, 2001), the first comprehensive ABBA biography. In addition, Carl Magnus Palm has co-produced a number of television programs about the band, contributed to Stockholm’s ABBA The Museum, and worked as a consultant to Polar Music in the reissuing of ABBA’s music.

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James Cameron is the most successful filmmaker of all time by some margin. Which is something we tend to take for granted. The question at the heart of the book, isn’t only how this came about, but what is it about Cameron that makes him such a universal storyteller? Cinema has had its godlike directors, lifting it up into new spaces, but he is their Zeus. The man who made the biggest film of all time then topped that by making the next biggest film of all time.

Encapsulating not only the magnitude of James Cameron as a filmmaker but the minutiae too – the incredible stories of an artist whose commitment to the medium knows few bounds. The tales behind the films are as epic as the films themselves. The incredible making of The Abyss, much of it shot submerged in a decommissioned nuclear plant, could fill a book on its own.

To say the least, this will be an enthralling read. Put simply, this is a film-by-film biography of the most popular director of all time.

THE AUTHOR

Ian Nathan, who lives and works in London, is one of the UK’s best-known film writers. He is the author of eight previous books, including Alien Vault, the best-selling history of Ridley Scott’s masterpiece, Terminator Vault; Tim Burton; The Coen Brothers and the forthcoming Anything You Can Imagine: Peter Jackson and the Making of Middle-earth. He is the former editor and executive editor of Empire, the world’s biggest movie magazine, where he remains a contributing editor. He also regularly contributes to The Times, Independent, Mail on Sunday, Cahiers Du Cinema and the Discovering Film documentary series on Sky Arts.

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As one of the world’s best-selling musicians, Lady Gaga has set the musical bar high. Since her debut album, The Fame (2008), she has sold more than 124 million records and scooped numerous awards, including twelve Grammy Awards, three Brit Awards, and eighteen MTV Music Video Awards. Yet she is much more than a musician.

At the helm of the Haus of Gaga—a close-knit circle of behind-the-scenes creatives—Lady Gaga is a performance artist like no other; her forward-thinking fashions and innovations mark her out as the ultimate maverick. Recently, she has reinvented herself as an accomplished jazz performer, dueting with legendary singer Tony Bennett on Cheek to Cheek (2014) and Love For Sale (2021), while also proving herself a consummate actor with lead roles in A Star Is Born (2018) and House of Gucci (2021). And with her advocacy for LGBT rights and active championing of kindness via the Born This Way Foundation, co-founded with her mother Cynthia Germanotta in 2011, it’s clear to see why her fans adore her.

Lady Gaga: Applause is a celebration of a true artist of our time. Illustrated throughout with stunning photography and complementary fashion segments, this comprehensive history follows Lady Gaga’s ever-evolving and often unpredictable career, and is testament to her many talents. A must for Little Monsters everywhere.

THE AUTHOR

 ANNIE ZALESKI is an award-winning journalist and author based in Cleveland, Ohio. She has contributed to publications such as Rolling Stone, NPR Music, The Guardian, Salon, Time, Billboard, and The Los Angeles Times, amongst others. Her first book, Duran Duran’s Rio, was published by Bloomsbury Academic as part of the 33 1/3 series, in 2021. Lady Gaga: Applause is her first book for Palazzo Editions.
SEX PISTOLS
I WANNA BE ME
Dave Simpson

• Published to coincide with Danny Boyle’s new TV series, *Pistol*
• Lavishly illustrated with more than 150 images
• Written by Dave Simpson, author of *The Fallen: Life In and Outside of Britain’s Most Insane Group*

Amidst the chaos that was the Sex Pistols, it’s often forgotten just what a powerful band they were, and what great records they made. The Sex Pistols were no ordinary group.

Their story might be short, and not without its casualties, but their legacy is undoubted; one listen to their ferocious, raw rock and roll will soon tell you that. Without them, popular culture in the last 30+ years would be very, very different. The Pistols didn’t just kick down doors; they trashed the music industry’s house. For a band who (really) only released one album and four incandescent singles – “Anarchy in the U.K.”, “God Save the Queen”, “Pretty Vacant” and “Holidays in the Sun” – they gave birth to a sea of imitators and inspired a DIY aesthetic still alive today. Not bad for a band that ‘couldn’t play’.

Despite claims from New York, the Sex Pistols were the true originators of punk; no one else had their attitude, balls, or honesty – as inspired by anger and poverty, as art and poetry. There was the Sex Pistols and there was the rest. The Sex Pistols ARE punk; the rest are ‘punk rock’.

THE AUTHOR

Dave Simpson writes for the Guardian, Uncut and others, having written for various titles during a 31-year career. His books include *The Fallen: Life In And Out Of Britain’s Most Insane Group* (about the Fall), a Sunday Times and Observer music book of the year. *The Last Champions* explored the final English First Division title (won by Leeds United) before the onset of Sky and Premier League riches. He lives in Yorkshire.

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Pink
Raise Your Glass
Annie Zaleski

- Lavishly illustrated with more than 150 essential images
- A celebration of a trailblazing pop artist, human and animal rights activist, and style icon

Pink is regarded as one of the most trailblazing artists of her time. Throughout her career, she has pushed boundaries, out-singing her pop contemporaries and influencing many that followed, such as Adele, Katy Perry and Rihanna. Her breakthrough album, Missundaztood, released in 2001, sold more than 15 million copies worldwide. It received critical acclaim, showcasing her unique powerhouse pop vocals and spawning international number-one songs “Get the Party Started,” “Don’t Let Me Get Me,” and “Just Like a Pill.” Known for her honest lyrics and rebellious style, hit songs such as “So What,” “Try,” “What About Us,” and more recently “Beautiful Trauma” have been dubbed “self-esteem anthems” and celebrated for their emotive vocals.

Her refusal to conform has been her strength and key to her longevity in pop’s upper echelons. With more than 90 million records sold worldwide, Pink is one of the world’s best-selling music artists.

Away from the studio, Pink is an outspoken animal rights activist and a prominent campaigner for PETA. She has also been vocal about her support of same-sex marriage and LGBT rights, and in 2021 was the subject of an Amazon Prime fly-on-the-wall documentary, Pink: All I Know So Far.

Pink: Raise Your Glass is a celebration of one of pop’s longest reigning rebels; from the R&B roots of her debut album, Can’t Take Me Home, to her most recent studio album Hurts 2B Human, her third consecutive album to debut at number one on the Billboard 200, Pink has remained prolific, popular and consistently phenomenal. Beautifully illustrated throughout with essential images, this book is a fitting tribute to a true pop artist of our time.

THE AUTHOR

ANNIE ZALESKI is an award-winning journalist and author based in Cleveland, Ohio. She has contributed to publications such as Rolling Stone, NPR Music, The Guardian, Salon, Time, Billboard, and The Los Angeles Times, amongst others. Her books include, Duran Duran’s Rio, (Bloomsbury Academic, 2021) and forthcoming Palazzo Edition title Lady Gaga: Applause (2022).

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A prodigious piano player, Tori Amos has been performing live since she was 13 years old. Having been the youngest person ever to be admitted on a full scholarship to Baltimore’s prestigious Peabody Institute at the age of 5, she was then asked to leave age 11 for what was described as "musical insubordination."

Undeterred, Amos spent the next few years honing her skills on Washington, D.C.’s club circuit, chaperoned by her minister father, before moving to Los Angeles where she formed a short-lived, synth-pop group called Y Kant Tori Read. The group released a self-titled album in 1988 which flopped and the group disbanded. Amos continued as a solo artist, and in 1992 she achieved her commercial and artistic breakthrough with Little Earthquakes.

She has since released a further 15 studio albums, including 2021’s Ocean to Ocean recorded in her Cornwall home during the COVID-19 pandemic. Her music explores a broad range of taboo-busting topics, including sexuality, feminism, politics, and religion, with songs such as "Crucify," "Silent All These Years," "Cornflake Girl," "Professional Widow," and "A Sorta Fairytale" gaining worldwide chart success and critical acclaim.

Tori Amos: Precious Things is a celebration of a wildly original artist. Her flame-red hair, mezzo-soprano voice and mesmeric piano playing (often in six-inch stilettoes) mark her out as one of a kind. A comprehensive history illustrated throughout with stunning photography, this book is a must for fans across the globe.

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EDGAR WRIGHT
ON EDGAR WRIGHT
Mark Salisbury

• Lavishly illustrated with more than 150 images, storyboards, behind-the-scenes photos and production stills from Edgar’s archive
• Official and fully authorized

Edgar Wright is arguably the most successful and well-known British filmmaker working today. His films include Shaun Of The Dead, Hot Fuzz, Baby Driver as well as next year’s eagerly awaited horror/psychological thriller, Last Night in Soho.

This will be the first official book about Edgar’s films, TV work, and creative process, and will be written with his full blessing, cooperation and input. It will be based around hours of new interviews and will be illustrated with archive material and behind-the-scenes photos from Edgar’s own collection (he’s been taking photos on his sets for years), as well as sketches, storyboards, script extracts, posters etc.

Written and designed to reflect Edgar’s work and personality — chatty, anecdotal, fun, as well as educational, informative, entertaining and detailed — the book will be lavishly illustrated, with every page awash with insight into Edgar’s films, his creative process — writing, directing, editing, scoring — as well as on-set stories.

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DAVID LYNCH
A RETROSPECTIVE
Ian Nathan

- Published to coincide with the 45th anniversary of *Eraserhead*
- Containing over 200 essential images, including unseen behind-the-scenes stills

At once a pop culture icon, cult figure, and film industry outsider, master filmmaker David Lynch and his work defy easy definition. Dredged from his subconscious mind, Lynch’s work is primed to act on our own subconscious, combining heightened, contradictory emotions into something familiar but inscrutable. No less than his art, Lynch’s life also evades simple categorization, encompassing pursuits as a musician, painter, photographer, carpenter, entrepreneur, and vocal proponent of Transcendental Meditation.

For nearly 45 years, David Lynch’s works have enthralled, mystified, and provoked viewers. Lynch’s films delve into the subjective consciousness of his characters to reveal both the depraved darkness and luminous spirituality of human nature. From his experimental shorts of the 1960s to feature films like *Eraserhead*, *The Elephant Man*, *Blue Velvet*, *Mulholland Drive*, and *Twin Peaks*, Lynch has pushed the boundaries of cinematic storytelling.

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Ian Nathan, who lives and works in London, is one of the UK’s best-known film writers. He is the author of eight previous books, including *Alien Vault*, the best-selling history of Ridley Scott’s masterpiece, *Terminator Vault*, *Tim Burton*, *The Coen Brothers* and the forthcoming *Anything You Can Imagine: Peter Jackson and the Making of Middle-earth*. He is the former editor and executive editor of *Empire*, the world’s biggest movie magazine, where he remains a contributing editor. He also regularly contributes to *The Times*, *Independent*, *Mail on Sunday*, *Cahiers Du Cinema* and the *Discovering Film* documentary series on Sky Arts.

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REVISED and UPDATED edition

‘Stephen King is as important to American folklore as Mark Twain.’
—William Goldman

No single author has been adapted more regularly than Stephen King. There are sixty-five existing movies, thirty television shows, and seven individual episodes (of multi-author anthology shows like The Twilight Zone) based on his work.

The industry that surrounds King is one that embodies the very nature of Hollywood, the strange allure of the horror genre, and the accessibility of his folkloric depiction of America. The concept of the King adaptation lies at the core of what we understand as screen entertainment.

Illustrated with a fabulous array of familiar and unusual iconography, this is a complete account of the films and television series adapted from the work of Stephen King — the literary Steven Spielberg. Including fresh critical analysis, interviews, making of stories and biographical elements, it is a King completist’s dream and a set text for any movie fan.

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The style known as Art Nouveau emerged at the close of the 19th century, a period known as the fin de siècle. It was a time of new ideas and inventions, such as the flying machine, automobile, Cinématographe, telephone, and the talking machine. The term Art Nouveau is derived from La Maison de l'Art Nouveau, a shop opened by dealer Siegfried Bing in Paris in 1896. Its aesthetic was established by the British Arts and Crafts movement founded by William Morris in 1861 as a handcraft reaction to the mass-production ethos of the Industrial Revolution.

Art Nouveau is based on plant forms and fantasy shapes, and embraces all forms of art and design including architecture, metal work, tiles, furniture, graphics, textiles and jewellery. The style soon became popular throughout Europe as well as the United States.

Following his most recent book, “Art Deco City”, author/photographer Arnold Schwartzman focuses his attention on the Art Nouveau style around the world, from Paris to Barcelona and beyond. This richly illustrated book of over 400 photographs offers a fascinating guide to the Art Nouveau movement.

THE AUTHOR
Arnold Schwartzman is an Oscar-winning film-maker, a noted graphic designer, and the author of a score of books. He began his design career in British television. In 1978 he moved to Hollywood. He was the Director of Design for the 1984 Los Angeles Olympic Games, and for a number of years has designed many of the key graphic elements for the annual Academy Awards. In 2010, he created the two murals for the Grand Lobby of Cunard's “Queen Elizabeth”. In 2001 he was awarded an OBE and in 2006 he was appointed a Royal Designer by the RSA.

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THE EDITOR

ILYA draws on more than thirty years’ experience as a comic-book writer, artist and editor – published internationally by Marvel, DC and Dark Horse in the USA, Kodansha in Japan, across Europe, and by numerous independent companies worldwide. His previous books include award-winning graphic novel series The End of the Century Club, It’s Dark in London, Room For Love, and How To Draw Comics. Clients include the BBC, Royal Academy of Arts, the British Council, The Times and the Guardian newspapers, and currently The New Internationalist, for whom he crafts a regular strip. ILYA was the editor of The Mammoth Book of Best New Manga series. As Ed Hillyer, he is also the author of the novel The Clay Dreaming.

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Fleetwood Mac has a long and complicated history, strewn with tumultuous relationships and substance abuse. Yet despite their dysfunction they have produced a bevy of hits— “Dreams,” “Rhiannon,” “Gypsy,” “The Chain,” “Lies,” “Landslide”—and secured a spot as one of the most successful bands of all time, having sold more than 100 million albums.

Formed in London, in 1967 by guitarist Peter Green, drummer Mick Fleetwood and guitarist Jeremy Spencer, Fleetwood Mac started life as a British blues band. Core member, John McVie joined the line-up for their self-titled debut album, and then in 1970, McVie’s wife Christine Perfect joined as a keyboardist and vocalist.

Following further line-up changes—the departure of Green most significant—Lindsey Buckingham and Stevie Nicks joined in 1974, giving the band more of a rock-pop sound. This line-up brought the band global success, most notably with seminal album, Rumours (1977); to date it has sold more than 40 million copies worldwide, making it one of the best-selling albums in history.

In the following four decades, Fleetwood Mac has continued to put out music and perform sell-out shows, despite weathering personal fallouts, solo careers, drug addiction and line-up changes, most recently Buckingham’s firing in 2018.

Fleetwood Mac: Don’t Stop is a must-have celebration of one of the most enduring (despite the drama) acts in rock music history. Illustrated throughout with essential images.

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KRAFTWERK
MEN-MACHINE
John Aizlewood

- Published to coincide with the 50th anniversary of their debut album Autobahn in 1974
- Arguably one of the most influential artists of the last century
- Containing over 150 essential images

When they were creating and releasing their most significant albums in the seventies (from Autobahn to The Man-Machine) and eighties (Computer World), Kraftwerk were far from the musical mainstream - and yet it is impossible now to imagine the history of popular music without them. Today, Kraftwerk are considered to be an essential part of pop's DNA, alongside artists like the Beatles, the Velvet Underground, and Little Richard.

Kraftwerk's immediate influence might have been on a generation of synth-based bands (Orchestral Manoeuvres in the Dark, the Human League, Depeche Mode, Yello, et al), but their influence on the emerging dance culture in urban America - Detroit techno and Chicago house in particular - has proved longer lasting and more decisive; in 2014 they were honored with a Grammy Lifetime Achievement Award.

This beautifully illustrated book looks at Kraftwerk - their legacy and influence - from a variety of angles, and demonstrates persuasively and coherently that however you choose to define their art, it's impossible to underestimate the ways in which it predicted and shaped the future.

THE AUTHOR
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Pedro Almodóvar came to prominence as a director and screenwriter during La Movida Madrileña, a cultural renaissance that followed after the end of Francoist Spain. His first few films characterised the sense of sexual and political freedom of the period. In 1986, he established his own film production company, El Deseo, with his younger brother Agustín Almodóvar, who has been responsible for producing all of his films since Law of Desire (1987).

Almodóvar achieved international recognition for his black comedy-drama film Women on the Verge of a Nervous Breakdown (1988), which was nominated for the Academy Award for Best Foreign Language Film and went on to further success with films such as the dark romantic comedy Tie Me Up! Tie Me Down! (1990), the melodrama High Heels (1991) and the romantic drama thriller Live Flesh (1997). His subsequent two films, All About My Mother (1999) and Talk to Her (2002), earned him an Academy Award each, for Best Foreign Film and Best Original Screenplay respectively. He followed this with films like the drama Volver (2006), the romantic thriller Broken Embraces (2009), the psychological thriller The Skin I Live In (2011) and the dramas Julieta (2016) and Pain and Glory (2019), all of which were in competition for the Palme d’Or at the Cannes Film Festival.

Acclaimed as one of the most internationally successful Spanish filmmakers, Almodóvar and his films have gained worldwide interest and developed a cult following. He has won two Academy Awards, five British Academy Film Awards, two Emmy Awards, six European Film Awards, two Golden Globe Awards, nine Goya Awards and four prizes at the Cannes Film Festival.

THE AUTHOR

Pau Gómez (Valencia, 1978) has a degree in Journalism and a PhD in Film. He has spent most of his career at Ràdio 9, where he directed and presented specialized cinema programs. He is the author of ten movie books to date, the last of which, dedicated to the figure of Martin Scorsese, was published in May 2020 by Planeta within its specialized arts label.

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With their uneven gait, rotting faces, and appetite for human flesh, it’s easy to see why zombies have endured over decades as iconic cinematic monsters. They represent the idea that humans can find ways to survive against all odds, pitting bleak storylines against optimistic themes. Zombies also represent contemporary fears and anxieties, frequently providing a window into modern unease, from the hollow commercialism represented in shopping malls to shambling through wastelands of environmental disaster.

While the undead are primarily associated with horror films (especially George A. Romero’s Night of the Living Dead series, which has popularized the modern idea of zombies), the creatures have range: they’ve also appeared in memorable comedies like Shaun of the Dead and Re-Animator, and action blockbusters like World War Z and Train to Busan.

While not every zombie movie has made a huge mark on filmmaking, this comprehensive history – featuring an unrivalled collection of zombie movie memorabilia and images – tells the complete story of the zombie genre and how it has maintained its lasting cultural influence. Read if you dare!

THE AUTHOR

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THE BEATLES ON FILM
Mark Salisbury

- 2024 marks the 60th anniversary of The Beatles’ movie debut, A Hard Day’s Night
- Lavishly illustrated with more than 150 images from their films, videos and post-Beatles careers
- A career and era-spanning history of the Fab Four at the movies

The Beatles On Film will examine the Fab Four cinematic output from A Hard Day’s Night through to Peter Jackson’s three-part Apple documentary series The Beatles: Get Back and all points in between.

It will chronicle in detail the films they made while still together — Hard Day’s, Help!, Magical Mystery Tour, Yellow Submarine and Let It Be — the numerous documentaries made about them in retrospect — including The Beatles: Anthology, John & Yoko: Above Us Only Sky and Ron Howard’s The Beatles: Eight Days A Week — as well as their individual projects — from John’s performance as Gripweed in Richard Lester’s How I Won The War to Ringo’s dinosaur comedy Caveman to Paul’s Rupert And The Frog Song and Give My Regards To Broad Street to George’s Handmade Films which was responsible for producing some of the finest British films ever made — Time Bandits, The Long Good Friday and Mona Lisa among them.

In addition, The Beatles On Film will also cover every Beatle pop video, cameo, acting role, spin-off, spoof, unmade movie and biopic.

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The fascinating, multi-faceted story of perhaps the most mysterious and unique rock band ever to exist

Over half a century since they exploded inevitably onto New York’s underground music and art scenes, the legacy and mythology of The Velvet Underground continues to resonate and grow, as new generations embrace their enigmatic command of the darkest strain of alternative cool. Lou Reed, John Cale, Nico, Sterling Morrison and Moe Tucker, with the naïve encouragement of Andy Warhol, created a world of music, words and scenes which blew up the notion of the peace-and-love sixties and tapped into a nocturnal milieu of art, literature, drugs, sex and decadence. Their albums survive as caustic classics, among the most influential records ever made.

Not only did author Chris Roberts interview the late Lou Reed three times, he was also once told, “Move – you are sitting on my coat” by the unmistakable voice of Nico, backstage at a gig. Here he recounts and celebrates the fascinating, multi-faceted story of perhaps the most mysterious and unique rock band ever to exist. A complex, contrary, clashing set of characters who came together to start fires while drawing down darkness, The Velvets’ legend will forever run run run.

- 8 pages of colour photographs

Author Information

Chris Roberts has written about music, films, and the arts for everyone from the Guardian to Uncut and currently writes for Classic Rock, Record Collector and The Quietus. He has published books on Beyoncé, Lou Reed, Tom Jones, and Abba among many others. His book on pop fandom, Idle Worship, was hailed by the New York Times as “the most original book about rock ‘n’ roll ever.” He lives in London.
Radiohead

Life in a Glasshouse

John Aizlewood

Radiohead are proof that selling records need not mean selling out and Life In A Glasshouse is their story

Radiohead are not like other bands. For over three decades they have charted a singular course. As their music has become more beautiful, more strange and more uncompromising, the band who make it have become more popular, evolving from the indie clubs of Britain to stadia across the globe, while selling over 30 million albums.

And they have done it their way. Their line-up has remained unchanged since they met at school, but these five very different characters have always remained united in their quest to keep pushing boundaries. They have changed musical direction almost as many times as they have made albums and the band who seemed destined to be one-hit-wonders when “Creep” was a global hit in the early-'90s, evolved into trailblazers who have embraced rock, dance, electronica, classical music and pop without sacrificing what makes them special.

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- 8 pages of colour illustrations

Author Information

John Aizlewood writes for Mojo, Q and Classic Rock. During a 25-year career, he has written about music for The Guardian, Blender, The Observer, Melody Maker, Sounds, FHM, The Sunday Times and a host of others. His books include Love Is The Drug and Playing At Home; he is a critic on the widely acclaimed Rock Icons series and lives near London.
The Who were one of the most influential rock groups of the 1960s and 1970s. Revered by fans, they became a world-class act, securing their longevity with sensational live performances and pioneering music.

From their early days as the Detours, they were at the vanguard of the UK mod movement in the mid-1960s, in 1965 striking gold as The Who with “Can’t Explain”, followed by “My Generation” which became a true anthem of its time.

Through the triumphs of Pete Townshend’s ambitious creations in Tommy and Quadrophenia, to the tragedy of the passing of drummer Keith Moon and bass player John Entwistle, the book follows the group’s tumultuous history via incisive text, archive reviews and interviews, and a track-by-track summary of all The Who’s studio and formative live albums.

Sumptuously illustrated with a wealth of colour and black-and-white photography, plus album art, The Who: Much Too Much is a must-have celebration of one of the key names in rock music history.

THE AUTHOR
A musician on the 1960s R&B and rock scene, Mike Evans began writing about music in the 1970s, presenting a weekly show on local radio and as a regular contributor to the leading UK music weekly Melody Maker. As well as commissioning and editing dozens of books on popular culture, as author titles have included the best-selling Elvis; A Celebration, Ray Charles: The Birth of Soul, The Blues: A Visual History and Woodstock: Three Days that Rocked the World (2009, updated 2019).

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JOY DIVISION + NEW ORDER

DECADES

John Aizlewood

- Published to coincide with the 45th anniversary of Joy Division’s formation in 1976
- Containing over 150 essential images

It’s a tale of death, destroyed friendships and bungled finances, but the story of Joy Division and New Order is also the saga of two bands who made extraordinary music which defined their times and overturned the musical landscape.

First, there was Joy Division. Their music reflected both the barren urban landscape of their native Manchester in the late 1970s and singer Ian Curtis’s heart of darkness. They remain forever defined by both the suicide of their extraordinary and extraordinarily volatile singer and two albums as close to perfection as music can come.

From the ashes of Joy Division came New Order, who recruited a keyboardist because of – rather than in spite of – the fact she couldn’t play. At the height of the dance music boom, they invested in The Hacienda, a club in their native Manchester. The queues were around the block, but the debts could have sunk a country. If Joy Division were sublime musical darkness, New Order were bathed in sunlight and their globally popular music bridged the chasm between indie and dance and inspired a generation. Having conquered the world and maintained their credibility, they snatched defeat from the jaws of victory and imploded in a tsunami of recrimination, while still making fabulous music. You couldn’t make it up: there’s no need to.

THE AUTHOR

JOHN AIZLEWOOD writes for Mojo, Q and Classic Rock. During a 25-year career, he has written about music for the Guardian, Blender, The Observer, Melody Maker, Sounds, FHM, The Sunday Times and a host of others. His books include Love Is The Drug and Playing At Home; he is a critic on the widely acclaimed Rock Icons series and lives near London.

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This is a big story. The Coppolas are one of the great American filmmaking dynasties, a classic example of an immigrant family who have thrived in America — the parallels with the Corleones of The Godfather are there for all to see, albeit without the organised crime.

Centred on two extraordinary filmmaking generations: father and daughter Francis Ford Coppola and Sofia Coppola, each in different ways has defined their times. And of course, their stories are intimately entwined.

But the story will encompass so much more than the careers of two directors. There will be subplots extending out across the Coppola clan to include Nicolas Cage, Talia Shire, Roman Coppola, Jason Schwartzman and lesser-known scions like Marc and Christopher Coppola. It is also the case that the respective stories of Francis and Sofia offer a fascinating insight into the changing face of Hollywood and American culture from the seventies until now. It is also a book about America, a land of opportunity and the template on which the Coppolas can forge their art.

THE AUTHOR

Ian Nathan, who lives and works in London, is one of the UK’s best-known film writers. He is the author of eight previous books, including Alien Vault, the best-selling history of Ridley Scott’s masterpiece, Terminator Vault, Tim Burton, The Coen Brothers and the forthcoming Anything You Can Imagine: Peter Jackson and the Making of Middle-earth. He is the former editor and executive editor of Empire, the world’s biggest movie magazine, where he remains a contributing editor. He also regularly contributes to The Times, Independent, Mail on Sunday, Cahiers Du Cinema and the Discovering Film documentary series on Sky Arts.
A return to Camelot.

This is the second volume of Arnold Schwartzman’s trilogy on the architecture of the late 19th and early 20th Century, in which he focuses on a group of British craftsmen who decided to turn their backs on the mass production of the Industrial Revolution to form a ‘Round Table’ in order to establish a means of returning to hand-crafted products.

William Morris, Charles Rennie Mackintosh and in America, Frank Lloyd Wright, Louis Comfort Tiffany and Greene and Greene were among these like-minded artisans who wished in essence to create a movement that embodied a vision and style that was a return to the Middle Ages.

THE AUTHOR

Arnold Schwartzman is an Oscar-winning filmmaker, a noted graphic designer, and the author of a score of books. He began his design career in British television. In 1978 he moved to Hollywood. He was the Director of Design for the 1984 Los Angeles Olympic Games, and for a number of years has designed many of the key graphic elements for the annual Academy Awards. In 2010, he created the two murals for the Grand Lobby of Cunard’s "Queen Elizabeth". In 2001 he was awarded an OBE and in 2006 he was appointed a Royal Designer by the RSA.

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Since she appeared unannounced at the 1959 Newport Folk Festival, Joan Baez has occupied a singular place in popular music. Within three years, she had recorded three best-selling albums and her voice had been described “as lustrous and rich as old gold.” She has mentored generations of singer-songwriters, including Dar Williams, Josh Ritter, Grace Stumberg and, most famously, Bob Dylan.

But Joan Baez has always been much more than simply a singer. Even before she joined Dr Martin Luther King, Jr. on the podium at the March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom in August 1963, she had used her gift to bring solace and hope to people who had little of either. In words and deeds, Baez has consistently championed social justice, nonviolence the guiding principle of her life, and the causes for which she has campaigned are legion. Whether playing to integrated audiences in the American south during the years of segregation, in Latin America during the years of brutal dictatorships, or Sarajevo under siege, Baez offered “an act of love, sharing, witness and music.”

Approaching 80, she has stepped down from the stage following a worldwide farewell tour and a final, Grammy-nominated album. She is now embarked on a new chapter of life—painting.

Drawing on interviews with long-time friends and musical associates, and on conversations across four decades with Baez herself, Joan Baez: The Last Leaf is a celebration of a timeless figure whose music and influence will endure long after her voice is silenced.

THE AUTHOR

Elizabeth Thomson has interviewed Joan Baez numerous times over the course of forty years and was present at the recording of Ring Them Bells. A contributor to The New Grove Dictionary of Music & Musicians, she is also the revising editor of Robert Shelton’s classic biography, Bob Dylan: No Direction Home, has been a Visiting Fellow of the Open University Sixties Research Group, and is the author of several books. She is the founder and Executive Producer of The Village Trip, a festival celebrating the history and culture of Greenwich Village, New York City.
101 ICONIC ROCK, HEAVY METAL & HARD ROCK ALBUMS
Paul Elliott

- Lavishly illustrated with more than 200 essential images, including album covers and unseen band photos
- A must-have for metal and hard rock fans

A chronological review of the most essential and heaviest metal and hard rock albums, illustrated throughout, demonstrating the global popularity of the genre and just how much it has grown.

The 1970s was the era when the great heavy metal pioneers laid down the blueprint for everything that was to come after, forefathers like Black Sabbath and Deep Purple dominated. But as metal began to take hold in the mainstream – and then began to diversify – bands such as Judas Priest, Iron Maiden, Metallica and Mötley Crüe made their presence felt among new fans, and it continues to evolve today with bands like Mastodon, Tool and Slipknot. Providing an extensive overview of the music and the stories behind each album, this inclusive reference chronicles the history and development of heavy metal, including sub-movements such as death metal, speed metal, grindcore, and hair metal, illustrated with the iconic covers and archive photographs.

Essential reading for metal heads and hard rock fans everywhere.

THE AUTHOR

Paul Elliott started writing about rock in 1985 as a contributor to Sounds, and has since worked for Kerrang!, Q, Vox, Heat, Blender (US), Metal Hammer and various other titles. His books include the first biography of Guns N’ Roses (published by Hamlyn), and Star Man, the autobiography of rock bodyguard Danny Francis (published by Simon & Schuster). Paul currently writes for Classic Rock and MOJO.

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More than 200 behind-the-scenes and film images

A career spanning retrospective of arguably the most successful British filmmaker in Hollywood’s history

‘If I were pressed to describe my style, I’d have to say it is called reality. No matter how stylized it gets, underneath it’s real.’

Ridley Scott

Illustrated with images as iconic as they are stunning and including the author’s first-hand experiences on set and interviewing the great director, this magnificent book charts the extraordinary journey of Britain’s greatest living director.

Telling the stories behind *Alien* and *Blade Runner*, *Gladiator* and *Black Hawk Down*, and many more, it also goes in search of the themes and motifs that unite such different films, and the methods and madness of Scott’s approach to his medium.

This is the story of a director who has never been less than stubbornly, brilliantly, unforgettably his own man.

THE AUTHOR

Ian Nathan, who lives and works in London, is one of the UK’s best-known film writers. He is the author of eight previous books, including *Alien Vault*, the best-selling history of Ridley Scott’s masterpiece, *Terminator Vault*, *Tim Burton*, *The Coen Brothers* and the forthcoming *Anything You Can Imagine: Peter Jackson and the Making of Middle-earth*. He is the former editor and executive editor of *Empire*, the world’s biggest movie magazine, where he remains a contributing editor. He also regularly contributes to *The Times*, *Independent*, *Mail on Sunday*, *Cahiers Du Cinema* and the *Discovering Film* documentary series on *Sky Arts*.

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Robert Shelton met Bob Dylan when the young singer arrived in New York in 1961. He became Dylan’s friend, champion, and critic. His book, first published in 1986, was hailed as the definitive unauthorized biography of this moody, passionate genius. Shelton tells the intimate and first-hand story of Bob Dylan’s formative years in Greenwich Village NYC, and it is the only biography that has been written with his active cooperation.

Dylan gave Shelton access to his parents, Abe and Beatty Zimmerman – whom no other journalist has ever interviewed; to his brother, David; to childhood friends from Hibbing; to fellow students and friends from Minneapolis; and to Suze Rotolo, the muse immortalized on the cover of Freewheelin’, among others. Concluding Dylan’s story backstage during his triumphant 1978 world tour, No Direction Home took 20 years to complete and when it was finally published the book received widespread critical acclaim.

Following his Nobel Prize for Literature Award in 2016, Dylan’s standing is higher than at any time since the 1960s and Shelton’s book is now seen as a classic. This new illustrated edition, published in the year of Dylan’s 80th birthday, includes key images of Dylan throughout his incredible, enduring career, making it a must for all Dylan fans.

THE AUTHORS

Robert Shelton was born in Chicago in 1926 and was on the staff of the New York Times for two decades until he went to Europe. Best known as the man who “discovered” Bob Dylan, he was the principal chronicler of the 1960s US folk revival. His books include the Woody Guthrie collection Born to Win, The Face of Folk Music, The Country Music Story and The Electric Muse. He died in 1995.

Elizabeth Thomson knew Robert Shelton for the last 15 years of his life. She was responsible for the 2011 edition of No Direction Home, which restored Shelton’s original manuscript and reshaped the book so it honoured his original intentions. This new edition abridges that text making it accessible to a wider readership. Thomson has been a Visiting Fellow of the Open University Sixties Research Group and was a contributor to The New Grove Dictionary of Music & Musicians. A widely published journalist, her books include Conclusions On the Wall: New Essays on Bob Dylan, The Dylan Companion, and Joan Baez: The Last Leaf.
DEPECHE MODE
FAITH AND DEVOTION

Ian Gittins

- Published to coincide with the 40th anniversary of their formation in 1980
- Lavishly illustrated with more than 250 essential images, including unseen behind-the-scenes stills

Nobody who saw Depeche Mode in 1980 could have predicted that those four fresh-faced, synth-pop innocents would transform themselves into stadium-filling rock gods within a few years. Yet Depeche Mode went on to become one of the Top 10 best-selling British acts of all-time, selling over 100 million albums worldwide. Now celebrating four decades together, the group continues to thrive, both critically and commercially.

Vince Clarke, Andy Fletcher and Martin Gore had started out as an Essex guitar band but it was their bright and upbeat synthesizer-driven brand of pop fronted by Dave Gahan that was to find global acceptance and their Violator tour at the start of the 90s sold millions of records and turned them into major US concert stars.

In true rock style, Depeche Mode’s members have suffered their share of internal strife over a long career. Dave Gahan reinvented himself as a lead singer with both a harder musical edge and a near-fatal drug habit, while internal acrimony has often marred the later stages of their career.

Part musical odyssey, part cultural history, this extensively illustrated biography, by bestselling author Ian Gittins, draws on dozens of first hand interviews to give us an inside view of one of the most unlikely stories in pop and rock.

THE AUTHOR

Ian Gittins has interviewed and reviewed Depeche Mode during a 30-year career as a music writer on titles such as Melody Maker, Time Out, Q and the Guardian. He is the co-author with Mötley Crüe’s Nikki Sixx of the 2007 New York Times best-seller The Heroin Diaries: A Year in the Life of a Shattered Rock Star. He lives in London.

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From the ashes of Nirvana, Dave Grohl rose as a one-man band with a self-titled album: *The Foo Fighters*. Now, 25 years on and with a rock solid outfit that includes Nate Mendel (bass), Taylor Hawkins (drums), Chris Shiflett (guitar) Pat Smear (rhythm guitar) and latest addition, Rami Jaffee (keyboards) - The Foo Fighters are reveling in the success of their ninth studio album, *Concrete and Gold*.

Paying homage to the band’s enduring longevity, *The Foo Fighters: The Band That Dave Made* is a comprehensive look at a career that boasts worldwide sales of more than 30 million albums, ten Grammies and hit stadium rock anthems such as *Learn to Fly*, *Best of You* and *Everlong*. Illustrated with over 250 images, this handsome biography from acclaimed rock writer, Stevie Chick, is a fitting tribute to a band born out of ‘the nicest guy in rock’s’ single-minded vision and now one of the planet’s biggest rock groups.

**THE AUTHOR**

Stevie Chick has been writing about music for over a decade, contributing to titles like *MOJO*, *The Guardian*, NME, The Times, The Quietus, Kerrang!, Melody Maker, Sleaze Nation and Plan B. He is also the author of *Psychic Confusion: The Sonic Youth Story* (Omnibus), *Ninja Tune: 20 Years Of Beats And Pieces* (Black Dog) and *Spray Paint the Wall: The Story of Black Flag* (Omnibus).
A celebratory retrospective of one of popular music’s most enduring and talented star names

Fully illustrated throughout, including rare archive memorabilia and previously unpublished photography

To be published in 2019 at the end of his farewell world tour

One of the most prolific and commercially successful artists in modern pop music, during a career spanning over half a century Elton John has sold over 300 million records, including Candle in the Wind 1997 – the biggest selling single of all time. His achievements in the US charts alone total over 50 hits in the Top 40, with seven consecutive albums making No.1.

Musically a child prodigy, by the age of 15 in 1962 Elton had formed his first pop group, Bluesology, and five years later met his long-time songwriting partner Bernie Taupin. Elton released his debut album Empty Sky in 1968, from which came his first big hit, Your Song, in 1970.

A spectacularly productive career followed, in which he has released over 30 albums and been the recipient of no less than six Grammy Awards and five Brit Awards. A tireless worker for various charities, including the Elton John AIDS Foundation, in 1998 he received a knighthood. Loved for his approachability and unaffected attitude to stardom, and after a career spanning nearly five decades, he still attracts capacity audiences in some of the largest auditoriums in the world, and fills them effortlessly with charismatic energy, and a musical performance that leaves fans of all ages shouting for more.

THE AUTHOR

Chris Roberts has written about music, films and the arts for everyone from The Guardian to Uncut and currently writes for Classic Rock, Prog, Record Collector and The Quietus. He has published books on Michael Jackson, Beyoncé, Kate Moss, Lou Reed, Tom Jones, Abba, Talk Talk, Pharrell Williams, Justin Bieber, Scarlett Johansson, Heath Ledger and others.

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DEBBIE HARRY & BLONDIE

PICTURE THIS

MICK ROCK

- Published to coincide with Debbie Harry’s autobiography
- Lavishly illustrated with more than 150 essential images, including many candid, unpublished photographs

Formed 35 years ago, Blondie was the most successful rock act to emerge from New York’s anarchic downtown punk scene. Debbie Harry, their multitalented and beautiful lead singer, became the most photogenic and photographed female rock performer of all time. Her “punk Marilyn Monroe” persona was never better celebrated than in Mick Rock’s dynamic portfolio.

Their collaboration produced iconic images that transcended and transformed the conventions of rock’n’roll photography. While Blondie continues to excite the world with their performances, this volume provides a vivid and memorable account of Debbie Harry and the band at the peak of their success.

THE AUTHOR

Mick Rock’s career was launched when he photographed an almost unknown David Bowie in 1972. The two established an instant rapport and Rock went on to direct several of Bowie’s music videos. Rock’s reputation as “the man who shot the ’70s” was cemented with iconic images of Lou Reed, Syd Barrett, Iggy Pop, Queen, the Sex Pistols, the Ramones, and Blondie. His other books include Mick Rock: The Rise of David Bowie, Classic Queen, Mick Rock Exposed, Glam! An Eyewitness Account, and Iggy & the Stooges: Raw Power. He lives in New York City.

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Born in Knoxville, Tennessee, in 1963, Quentin Tarantino spent many Saturday evenings during his early youth accompanying his mom to the movies, unleashing a love of cinema that has, over the course of his life, become all-consuming. Having left school at 15, Tarantino took a part-time job in a local video store. His first script took him four years: My Best Friend’s Birthday (1987) was a 70-minute film he both acted in and directed. Then he devised Reservoir Dogs (1992) with a script written in under four weeks. On its release, Tarantino was hailed as one of the most exciting new directorial talents. It was, he says, ‘the complete utter payoff for perseverance.’

This stunning retrospective, catalogues each of Quentin Tarantino’s movies, from My Best Friend’s Birthday to the Oscar winning, Pulp Fiction, to his most recent epic, Once Upon a Time In … Hollywood. This book is a tribute to a unique directing and writing talent, celebrating an uncompromising, passionate director’s enthralling career at the heart of cult filmmaking.

THE AUTHOR
Tom Shone was the film critic of the Sunday Times from 1994 until he moved to New York in 1999. He is the author of four books and His writing has appeared in the New Yorker, the New York Times, the TLS, Intelligent Life, Areté and Vogue. He currently teaches film history and criticism at New York University.
The Art of Protest

- A bold collection of some of the world’s most iconic and essential protest posters
- More than 100 posters and banners profile the world’s political landscape through the last 100 years
- In collaboration with Amnesty International

Against an increasingly disorientating political backdrop, The Art of Protest takes a visual journey through social protest over the last 100 years. From the early 20th Century suffragette movement through to the sixties and seventies – considered by many the heyday of social protest – to contemporary, social media-driven demonstrations of dissent, The Art of Protest examines some of the world’s most iconic posters and banner art.

Featuring a foreword from celebrated artist and activist Anish Kapoor, this illustrative history covers key campaigns such as women’s liberation, nuclear disarmament, civil rights, the climate crisis, refugee rights, and LGBTQ activism. It showcases iconic posters from world-renowned artists, including from the archives of Amnesty International, as well as spontaneous artworks from short-lived print collectives and activists on the ground. Each poster is accompanied by a short text that explains its context and explores how creative defiance can push boundaries and challenge those who seek to deny people their rights to peace and equality.

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Fifty years ago, in August 1969, drenched by torrential rain and ankle-deep in mud, half a million people gathered in a field on a dairy farm in upstate New York to participate in what has since been recognized as the most significant and inspiring musical event of its kind: a landmark that defined a generation. Woodstock was the ultimate expression of the hippie ethos and youth-led counterculture. It was also, in retrospect, its glorious, anarchic swan song.

Woodstock made headline news across the world: the success of the subsequent movie perpetuated the mythology, and this new edition considers the legacy from the perspective of five decades later, providing a summary of where the surviving performers are now.

New and contemporary interviews and quotes from those who were there—the musicians and managers, fans and photographers, organizers and technicians—provide a unique commentary throughout the book. Packed with anecdotes and backstage gossip (Joan Baez sent a cup of tea to calm a nervous Melanie, and Janis Joplin finished all the bagels), as well as a wealth of photographs and graphic memorabilia — many never before published — Woodstock is the definitive guide to the “Three Days of Peace & Music.”

THE AUTHOR
A musician on the Sixties rock scene, Mike Evans began writing about popular music in the Seventies as a broadcaster in local radio, freelance writer, and regular contributor to Melody Maker. He has written books that include the much-acclaimed The Art of the Beatles, Elvis: A Celebration, Ray Charles: The Birth of Soul, The Rock and Roll Age, and The Beats. He lives and works in London.
AC/DC
FOR THOSE ABOUT TO ROCK

Paul Elliott

- Published to coincide with the 45th anniversary of their formation in 1973
- Lavishly illustrated with more than 250 essential images, including unseen behind-the-scenes stills
- Follows the bestselling Palazzo-produced ‘Album by Album’ series titles Bowie and Springsteen, and our newest rock biography, Guns N’ Roses

To millions of fans AC/DC will always be the greatest hard rock band of them all. From their formation in Sydney, Australia in 1973 by brothers Angus and Malcolm Young, AC/DC have made the most visceral and single-minded rock, and inspired generations of rock icons from Def Leppard to Guns N’ Roses and Metallica.

The basic blueprint laid down in their early albums with Bon Scott – hard, no-nonsense, riff-driven rock’n’roll – has served them well with more than 200 million records sold, including the best-selling rock album of all time – Back in Black.

Illustrated with more than 200 photographs acclaimed rock writer, Paul Elliott documents AC/DC’s career from backstory to their latest album, 2014’s Rock Or Bust, offering real insight into the band’s enduring success and rise to rock royalty.

THE AUTHOR

Paul Elliott started writing about rock in 1985 as a contributor to Sounds, and has since worked for Kerrang!, Q, Vox, Heat, Blender (US), Metal Hammer and various other titles. His books include the first biography of Guns N’ Roses (published by Hamlyn), and Star Man, the autobiography of rock bodyguard Michael Francis (published by Simon & Schuster). Paul currently writes for Classic Rock and MOJO.

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The Cure: A Perfect Dream

Ian Gittins

- Published to coincide with the 40th anniversary of the release of their debut album, Three Imaginary Boys, in 1979
- Lavishly illustrated with more than 250 essential images, including unseen behind-the-scenes stills

The Cure’s story is a fantastical pop fable, but their trajectory has not been one of unbroken success. Along the way, their uneven, uneasy pop odyssey has taken in fierce intra-band tensions and fall-outs, numerous line-up changes and even a bitter court case that saw original group members feuding over payments and ownership of the band’s name.

There has been alcoholism, substance abuse and countless long, dark nights of the soul, many of which have been translated into luscious dark-rock symphonies. From gawky teenage art-punks in Crawley to gnomic, venerable rock royalty with 30 million record sales to their name, their journey has been a scarcely believable, vivid pop hallucination.

A Perfect Dream is the tall tale of a truly unique British band. It’s the story of The Cure.

The Author

Ian Gittins has interviewed and reviewed The Cure during a 30-year career as a music writer on titles such as Melody Maker, Time Out, Q and the Guardian. He is the co-author with Mötley Crüe’s Nikki Sixx of the 2007 New York Times best-seller The Heroin Diaries: A Year in the Life of a Shattered Rock Star. He lives in London.

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A stunning collection of some of the world’s greatest Art Deco buildings – from factories, hotels and commercial buildings to theatres and private residences

More than 200 beautifully detailed photographs offer a visual journey through Europe’s cities, the USA and UK

‘My passion for the Art Deco style probably stems from the fact that I was born in that glorious era... I hope the audience of Art Deco City will enjoy the fruits of my Art Deco travels throughout the world.’

Art Deco reflected the new industrial age drawing from a variety of influences including ancient Egyptian, Moorish and Mayan motifs and the Cubism, Fauvism and De Stijl movements. The Art Deco style gained prominence in the 1920s, but it was not only architects that embraced its new design ideas: interior and product designers and craftsmen also took inspiration and none more so than architectural furniture designers. Drawing inspiration from the UK, Europe and the USA, this beautiful and comprehensive book celebrates the world’s greatest Art Deco buildings, displaying the stunning and diverse range of architecture and design that announced this new movement’s aesthetic intent.

THE AUTHOR

Arnold Schwartzman is an Oscar-winning film-maker, a noted graphic designer, and the author of a score of books. He began his design career in British television. In 1978 he moved to Hollywood. He was the Director of Design for the 1984 Los Angeles Olympic Games, and for a number of years has designed many of the key graphic elements for the annual Academy Awards. In 2010, he created the two murals for the Grand Lobby of Cunard’s “Queen Elizabeth”. In 2001 he was awarded an OBE and in 2006 he was appointed a Royal Designer by the RSA.

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Published to coincide with the centenary of the founding of the Bauhaus in 1919
More than 200 archive photographs, drawings and designs collated from years of specialist research
Profiles of women such as Gunta Stölzl, Lucia Moholy and Marianne Brandt alongside ‘forgotten’ female students such as Yugoslavian revolutionary Ivana Tomljenovic and Japanese artist Michiko Yamawaki

The story of the Bauhaus has usually been kept narrow, localized to its original time and place and associated with only a few famous men such as Walter Gropius, Marcel Breuer, Paul Klee, Wassily Kandinsky, and László Moholy-Nagy. Global Bauhaus Women bursts the bounds of this slim history by revealing fresh Bauhaus faces: more than forty Bauhaus women unjustifiably forgotten by most history books. This book also widens the lens to reveal how the Bauhaus drew women from many parts of Europe and beyond, and how, through these cosmopolitan female designers, artists, and architects, it sent the Bauhaus message out into the world and to a global audience.

Essential reading on the Bauhaus or for anyone interested in the too-often missed centrality of women artists to modern art and design, Global Bauhaus Women reclaims the other half of Bauhaus history, yielding a new understanding of the radical experiments in art and life undertaken at the Bauhaus.

Elizabeth Otto is a professor of modern and contemporary art history at The State University of New York at Buffalo. She has published widely on gender issues in Germany’s visual culture of the 1920s and 1930s, especially at the Bauhaus. Her books include Tempo, Tempo! The Bauhaus Photomontages of Marianne Brandt and the co-edited collections Passages of Exile.

Patrick Rössler is a professor of communications and empirical research methods at the University of Erfurt, Germany. His books and exhibitions include The Bauhaus at the Newsstand, Herbert Bayer: Die Berliner Jahre. Werbegrafik 1928-1938 (Herbert Bayer: The Berlin Years, Graphic Design in Advertising 1928-1938), The Bauhaus and Public Relations: Communication in a Permanent State of Crisis, and Iconic Magazines: Highlights of the German Popular Press 1918-1945.

Elizabeth and Patrick are also co-curating an exhibition in Erfurt for 2019 called “Bauhaus Mädels” that looks at the image of the Bauhaus New Woman as central to the institution.

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The Forking Trolley
An Ethical Journey to The Good Place

JAMES M. RUSSELL

- A practical guide to ethics for fans of the hit NBC & Netflix comedy, The Good Place
- Test yourself – and others - with both classic ethical dilemmas and new thought experiments
- Imaginative scenarios which will force you to re-examine your most cherished assumptions about right and wrong

A new armchair guide to ethics and moral philosophy, from the trolley problem to the balloon debate. Inspired by the hugely popular Netflix sitcom The Good Place, which uses a comic format to examine moral dilemmas and schools of ethical thought, this is a brief tour of the main issues that face humans when we try to “do the right thing”.

Using traditional and modern thought experiments, as well as 21st century dilemmas from the etiquette of texting to the narcissism of “selfie” culture, here is everything you need to know about reaching a good place in life.

THE AUTHOR

JAMES M. RUSSELL has a philosophy degree from the University of Cambridge, a post-graduate qualification in critical theory, and has taught at the Open University in the UK. He currently works as director of a media-related business. He is the author of A Brief Guide to Philosophical Classics and A Brief Guide to Spiritual Classics. He lives in north London with his wife, daughter and two cats.

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From his early days as a director in the 1920s, Hitchcock always had a strong sense of how his stars would look on screen, from their hairstyles to the colour of their underwear. He worked with a trusted team of contributors, including costume designer Edith Head, to translate his vision onto the screen. But he also had a complicated, voyeuristic relationship with his leading ladies, moulding them to fulfill his fantasy of blonde perfection. ‘Blondes make the best victims. They’re like virgin snow that shows up the bloody footprints,’ he said. Often fashion icons in their own right, the clothes they wore imbued the films with contemporary style; Kim Novak in the grey suit in Vertigo, Tippi Hedren’s simple eau de nil suit in The Birds, and Janet Leigh’s black and white sets of underwear in Psycho.

Caroline Young details these iconic actresses, and their costumes, from Ingrid Bergman to Eva Marie Saint, exploring Hitchcock’s favourite actresses including Grace Kelly and Carole Lombard. Meticulously researched and beautifully illustrated with publicity photographs, film stills and original drawings of the costume designs, this book offers a revealing insight into the golden days of Hollywood, and the relationships between one of its leading directors and his female stars.

THE AUTHOR

Caroline Young is a writer and author based in her home town of Edinburgh in Scotland. Her love of film and fashion led to her writing the highly acclaimed book Classic Hollywood Style in 2012, and she followed it up with books Style Tribes: The Fashion of Subcultures in 2016 and Tartan and Tweed in 2017.
The Traveller’s Guide to the Centre of the Earth

Professor Dougal Jerram

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THE AUTHOR

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In the next few years, the dream of a journey to Mars may become a reality... Get ready ahead of the rush with this invaluable guide.

THE AUTHOR
Colin Stuart is a Fellow of the Royal Astronomical Society. He has written for the Guardian, the Observer, New Scientist, BBC Focus and European Space Agency, among many others. The author of half a dozen books, in 2014 Colin was awarded runner-up in the European Astronomy Journalism Prize.

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Activities for your journey to infinity could include anything from recreating an M.C. Escher engraving (with an infinite border) to visiting Hilbert’s Hotel and from visiting the Sierpinski Carpet store to the Library of Babel, which contains every single text that ever has or ever will be written. Also included are special features such as lists of ‘What Not To Miss In Infinity’, ‘Top Ten Favourite Excursions’, and ‘Infinity in Popular Culture’.

THE AUTHOR

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Also included are special features such as lists of ‘What Not To Miss At The Big Bang’, ‘What to Do in a 2 Picosecond Visit’, and ‘Echoes of the Big Bang in the Universe Today’.

THE AUTHOR

Joel Levy is a writer and journalist specialising in science and the history of science. He has written more than twenty books, including The Infinite Tortoise, exploring thought experiments and paradoxes; Scientific Feuds: From Galileo to the Human Genome Project, Newton’s Notebook, the life, times and discoveries of the greatest scientist in history; and A Curious History of Mathematics.
PSYCHEDELIA
101 ICONIC UNDERGROUND ROCK ALBUMS, 1966–1970
Richard Morton Jack

- Beautifully illustrated collection of the greatest psychedelic rock albums of the 60s
- Tune in, turn on and rock out!

It wasn’t just clothes and hair that changed as the 1960s progressed – social awareness crept into youth culture and music ceased to be simply about dancing. A counter-culture gradually emerged, and rock ‘n’ roll was its defining feature.

The explosion of imagination and ambition that characterised the psychedelic movement of the late 1960s stretched the possibilities of the pop song to their limits. Never before, or since, were so many classic albums made in such a short time. Psychedelia is the most colourful, detailed and authoritative guide to these albums ever published. One hundred and one of them are evaluated here, using contemporary reviews, rare photographs and interviews, accompanied by a plethora of iconic images and reproductions of cover artwork.

FREDDIE MERCURY
A KIND OF MAGIC
Mark Blake

- Featuring revealing interviews with fellow musicians, producers and collaborators
- Many rare and stunning photographs, a detailed discography and timeline

When Freddie Mercury died in 1991, the music world lost one of its most flamboyant characters, as well as a supremely talented writer and vocalist. His amazing four-octave voice was a distinctive element in the band’s unique sound, which resulted in more than a dozen million-selling albums. As Queen’s main songwriter, he was responsible for some of their greatest hits including Killer Queen, We Are the Champions and their biggest triumph, the iconic Bohemian Rhapsody.

As a member of Queen, he was inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 2001, the Songwriters Hall of Fame in 2003, and the UK Music Hall of Fame in 2004. This book is the ultimate celebration of one of rock music’s greatest stage performers and an inimitable recording artist.
GUNS N’ ROSES
THE LIFE AND TIMES OF A ROCK ‘N’ ROLL BAND
Paul Elliott

- The fully illustrated story of one of the greatest and biggest-selling rock bands of all time
- Features interviews with all five members of the classic Guns N’ Roses line-up: Axl Rose, Slash, Duff McKagan, Izzy Stradlin and Steven Adler

When Guns N’ Roses’ debut album Appetite For Destruction was released in 1987, the band were so out of control that their record company stated: “They’ll make it – if they live.” And yet, somehow, they did. Appetite For Destruction became the biggest selling debut in the history of American music, and as “The Most Dangerous Band In The World”, Guns N’ Roses’ success continued into the 1990s with the albums Use Your Illusion I and II, but by the end of that decade only singer Axl Rose remained from the original line up.

This book follows the complete story of Guns N’ Roses: the highs and lows, the triumphs and failures, the fights, the excess, and the great music that shook the world.

NEIL YOUNG
HEART OF GOLD
Harvey Kubernik

- A richly illustrated biography of one of rock music’s true living legends
- Essential reading for every fan of this godfather of popular music

Respected journalist Harvey Kubernik charts every aspect of Neil Young’s extraordinary career with the aid of exclusive interviews conducted with fellow musicians, record producers, music journalists, film directors and loyal fans.

The scale of Neil Young’s achievements as a singer-songwriter and his longevity as an artist have given him a status and an influence that helped shape the history of popular music. Among those featured in this book are musicians Graham Nash, Nils Lofgren and Richie Furay, filmmaker Jim Jarmusch, photographer Henry Diltz, producers Jack Nitzsche and the late Kim Fowley, and many, many more.
NO DIRECTION HOME
THE LIFE & MUSIC OF BOB DYLAN
Robert Shelton

- The fully extended classic biography of Bob Dylan
- A first-hand account of Dylan’s early career by the foremost Dylanologist

Of more than a thousand books published about Bob Dylan it is only this one that has been written with Dylan’s active cooperation. No Direction Home took 20 years to complete and when it was finally published the book received widespread critical acclaim.

Two decades on, Dylan’s standing is higher than at any time since the 1960s and Shelton’s book is now seen as a classic of the genre. This new edition includes key images of Dylan throughout his incredible, enduring career, updated footnotes and bibliography, and a new, selective, discography.

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SPRINGSTEEN
ALBUM BY ALBUM
Ryan White

- A richly illustrated biography of one of rock’s most iconic and respected artists
- Essential reading for every fan of The Boss

For over 40 years Bruce Springsteen has stood astride the rock ‘n’ roll stage like a musical colossus, his 18 studio albums a testament of a life dedicated to musical prowess and committed songwriting.

Garnering critical acclaim since the beginning of his recording career, his albums have reflected deeply-felt passions and concerns, from the state of the American working man in The River and Nebraska, to the highs and lows of personal relationships in Tunnel of Love, from the bleak visions in Darkness on the Edge of Town to the often unrecognized anger of Born in the U.S.A.

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LEONARD COHEN
EVERYBODY KNOWS
Harvey Kubernik

- Extensively illustrated biography of arguably Canada’s greatest songwriter
- A must read for all fans of the legendary wordsmith and musician

This updated edition includes details of his 13th studio album Popular Problems, released a day after his 80th birthday in September 2014 to positive reviews with the Telegraph calling the album ‘a masterpiece.’

Lavishly illustrated, respected journalist Harvey Kubernik charts Leonard Cohen’s extraordinary career in detail, placing his literary and musical achievements within the context of his life. From his beginnings as a writer and poet, through his classic albums of the sixties and seventies up to his triumphant recent tours, every stage of Cohen’s remarkable life is expertly analysed. Includes more than 200 photos and the thoughts, memories and comments of those who have both worked with him and the many who have been inspired by this most unique of artists.

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BOWIE
ALBUM BY ALBUM
Paolo Hewitt

- A stunningly illustrated retrospective of the world’s most iconic artist
- Updated edition covering Bowie’s final album, Blackstar, and the global reaction to his untimely death

David Bowie was often referred to as ‘pop’s great chameleon’. In fact, he was quite simply the most influential, enigmatic and exciting recording artist in modern music.

Written by music industry authority Paolo Hewitt, each of Bowie’s 29 albums is considered in detail in conjunction with commentaries and quotes from those who worked on the records, including musicians and engineers, as well as using many of Bowie’s own perceptive quotes from throughout the years.

It is an essential companion to an incomparable catalogue of music and a fitting celebration of a cultural icon of our times.

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CLINT
A RETROSPECTIVE
Richard Schickel

- Updated, large format paperback edition
- The definitive illustrated monograph of a true Hollywood icon

Over the course of a celebrated and spellbinding career – both on screen and behind the camera – Clint Eastwood has become one of the all-time Hollywood greats. From early starring roles in Sergio Leone’s genre busting Spaghetti Western A Fistful of Dollars to recent movies such as Jersey Boys, he has captivated audiences with his tough guy persona for over fifty years.

This beautifully produced book is the definitive retrospective of this great movie icon. It features rare images from the Warner Bros. archive and revealing behind-the-scenes photos that show the film-maker at work, as well as dramatic pictures that capture his unforgettable screen performances.

TARANTINO
A RETROSPECTIVE
Tom Shone

- A tribute to a unique directing and writing talent, celebrating an uncompromising, passionate director’s enthralling career at the heart of cult filmmaking
- Lavishly illustrated with more than 250 essential images, including behind-the-scenes stills

His first script took him four years: My Best Friend’s Birthday (1987) was a 70-minute film he both acted in and directed. Then he devised Reservoir Dogs (1992) with a script written in under four weeks. On its release, Tarantino was hailed as one of the most exciting new directorial talents. It was, he says, ‘the complete utter payoff for perseverance.’

This stunning retrospective, catalogues each of Quentin Tarantino’s movies, from My Best Friend’s Birthday to the Oscar winning, Pulp Fiction, to his most recent epic Western, The Hateful Eight.
SPIELBERG
A RETROSPECTIVE
Richard Schickel

• With a Foreword by Steven Spielberg and featuring unseen photos from his own archive
• A stunning illustrated career biography of one of America’s greatest filmmakers

This retrospective celebrates some forty years of Steven Spielberg’s boundless energy and his unwavering commitment to excellence in all areas of his work. The distinguished writer and critic Richard Schickel, applies his unique knowledge of every one of Spielberg’s 27 major films to appraise the directors remarkably prolific and varied career.

Featuring many first-person observations drawn from Schickel’s interviews with Spielberg, as well as a personal foreword by the director himself, this book presents an insiders perspective on Spielberg’s legendary achievements. Impeccably designed and illustrated with over 400 superb images (including revealing behind-the-scenes photos from DreamWorks own archives), Spielberg: A Retrospective is the ultimate tribute to a moviemaking icon, and a book to treasure.

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SCORSESE
A RETROSPECTIVE
Tom Shone

• This lavish retrospective is a fitting tribute to a remarkable director, now into his sixth decade in cinema
• Impeccably designed, and copiously illustrated with more than two hundred stills and behind-the-scenes images

Since his emergence in the early seventies, Martin Scorsese has become one of the most respected names in cinema. Classics such as Taxi Driver, Raging Bull and Goodfellas are regularly cited as being among the finest films ever made.

Leading film writer Tom Shone draws on his in-depth knowledge and distinctive viewpoint to present refreshing commentaries on all twenty-three main features, from the rarely shown Who’s That Knocking at My Door? (1967) to the Oscar-winning, The Wolf of Wall Street (2013), as well as covering Scorsese’s notable parallel career as a documentary maker. This is the definitive celebration of one of cinemas most enduring talents.

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WOODY ALLEN
A RETROSPECTIVE
Tom Shone

- Timely retrospective reviewing Allen's entire career, with contributions from Allen himself
- Superbly illustrated, this is a fitting tribute to one of the masters of modern cinema

Woody Allen is a uniquely innovative performer, writer and director with nearly fifty movies to his credit, from cult slapstick films and romantic comedies to introspective character studies and crime thrillers. Classics such as Annie Hall, Manhattan, Stardust Memories, Broadway Danny Rose and Hannah and Her Sisters still resonate, and more recently Midnight in Paris and Blue Jasmine have been notable successes.

In this timely retrospective, Tom Shone reviews Woody Allen's entire career, providing incisive commentary on his films and shedding light on this uniquely self-deprecating filmmaker, with the help of comments contributed by Allen himself.

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ROMAN POLANSKI
A RETROSPECTIVE
James Greenberg

- With a Foreword by Roman Polanski
- Impeccably designed, and lavishly illustrated with more than two hundred and fifty stills and behind-the-scenes images

The story of Roman Polanski's career is checkered with sadness and scandal. Arguably the most controversial film director of our time, his strokes of genius on the screen enthrall, move and entertain us, and despite the events of his personal life, his power as a filmmaker is indisputable. He continues to produce some of the most powerful movies of our time, notably The Pianist (2002), for which he won the Oscar for Best Director.

Acclaimed film critic James Greenberg takes readers chronologically through Polanski's extraordinarily rich and varied career, offering profound insights and analyses for each film. The book is richly illustrated with more than 250 photographs, including behind the scene photographs from Polanski's movies, and it illuminates the backstory of a man whose harrowing childhood and highly controversial life could be a film themselves.

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Johnny Depp is one of the most enigmatic, alluring and gifted actors of his generation, whose charismatic screen presence has brought to life some of cinema’s most enduring characters, from the tragi-comic Edward Scissorhands and the fantastical Willy Wonka to the murderous Sweeney Todd and the swashbuckling Captain Jack Sparrow.

This retrospective provides illuminating commentary on each of Johnny Depp’s movies, from his first ever role in A Nightmare on Elm Street in 1984 through to The Lone Ranger. Lavishly illustrated with over 250 images and behind-the-scenes stills from the movies themselves, Johnny Depp: A Retrospective is a fitting tribute to one of the big screen’s most unique talents and eternally popular icons.

Albert Einstein’s universal appeal is only partially explained by his brilliant work in physics, as Andrew Robinson demonstrates in this authoritative, accessible, and richly illustrated biography. The main narrative is enriched by twelve essays by well-known scientists, scholars, and artists, including three Nobel Laureates. The book presents clearly the beautiful simplicity at the heart of Einstein’s greatest discoveries, and explains how his ideas have continued to influence scientific developments such as lasers, the theory of the big bang, and ‘theories of everything.’

This new edition, published to recognize the centenary of the publication of Einstein’s General Theory of Relativity, includes an important new afterword by Diana Kormos Buchwald, the director of the Einstein Papers Project at the California Institute of Technology.
LONDON ART DECO
Arnold Schwartzman

- An exhaustive collection of London’s Art Deco style – from factories and underground stations to theatres and private residences
- More than 150 stunning photographs offer a visual journey through London

The Art Deco style gained prominence at the 1925 Paris Exposition, after which each nation seemed to adapt its own distinct architectural style. Less florid than the French or that of the United States, Great Britain’s buildings reflected the country’s imperial status. From the imposing style of the Savoy Hotel, through the ornate detail of the West End theatres, to Art Deco factories like the Hoover Building, they also demonstrated Britain’s love of detail.

Remarkably, many of London’s Art Deco buildings still survive – their once grime-covered indigenous Portland stone now mostly scrubbed clean, beautifully displaying their many sculptural details.

This richly illustrated book offers a fascinating and detailed look at the Art Deco style – from building design to decorative detail.

BUILDING FOR TOMORROW
Paul Cattermole

- Visionary architecture from around the world
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This new and updated edition of Building for Tomorrow reviews 45 visionary projects that appear to come from futures that mankind has so far only imagined.

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- From William Morris to Walter Gropius
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Pevsner looks at the early masters of the movement, such as Voysey and Rennie Mackintosh in Britain; Sullivan and Lloyd Wright in America; and Loos and Wagner in Vienna, ending in 1914, with Walter Gropius and the Bauhaus movement representing design's most radical break with the past.
WILLIAM MORRIS
AND THE ARTS & CRAFTS HOME
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- The definitive source book for contemporary living with Arts & Crafts style
- More than 200 stunning photographs

William Morris was the towering personality behind the Arts & Crafts movement. His wallpapers and textiles have long been renowned in both Britain and America, but he was also a radical design theorist, and his profound ideas about taste, style and function continue to inform modern interior design. This definitive sourcebook will excite and inspire anyone who loves living with Arts & Crafts style, as it takes the philosophy and design ideas of Morris and applies them to our living spaces today.

A scholarly account of his work and influence is illustrated by numerous photographs of surviving Arts & crafts interiors in both Britain and America, while a series of pictorial ‘case studies’ illustrates in detail how to put his principles into action in today’s home, with practical advice on achieving authentic Arts & Crafts style.

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- Comprehensive chapters devoted to the various aspects of Arts and Crafts style

Much more than an artistic style, the Arts and Crafts movement embodied a set of ideals which formed the basis for a way of life. Enthusiastically embraced by a swathe of the population disenchanted with the shoddy mass-produced articles of the mid-Victorian age, the Arts and Crafts style evolved and developed on both sides of the Atlantic and in Europe becoming instantly recognisable and informing and shaping much of what would follow both in the fields of architecture and decorative design.

William Morris, one of the most influential designers of the age, believed that art should not be the preserve of the rich, but accessible to all and he strived to counter the worst excesses of modern mass-production by encouraging and fostering the development of handicrafts of all kinds.
THE ART OF SKIING
VINTAGE POSTERS FROM THE GOLDEN AGE OF WINTER SPORT
Jenny de Gex

- Evocative posters and photographs from the world-famous Beekley Collection capture the exhilaration of the early days of fashionable winter sports

The Art of Skiing is a beautiful collection of the finest examples of poster art. Organised by country and resort, it uses posters from the Beekley Collection – the largest private collection of ski art in the world – to reflect the changing trends in skiing fashion and technique, and investigates the most popular resorts, their establishment and development.

The reproductions of vintage posters in this book represent the wide range of evocative artistic styles that flourished during this period. Winter resorts, tourist organizations, and railroad companies engaged the best-known artists and graphic designers of the day and used the latest in printing technology to create posters that would tempt people to join the ever-fashionable ranks of skiers. The results conjure up places where the sun sparkles, where the pure white snow glistens, and where the pleasures of fine society keep the night romantic and lively.

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